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REQUEST FOR THREE (3) MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

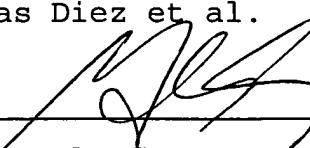
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Applicant respectfully requests a three (3) month extension of time in the above identified application to extend the period for responding to the Official Action of July 25, 2005 from October 25, 2005 to and including January 25, 2006.

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Respectfully submitted,
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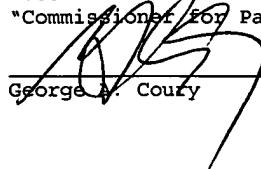
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